RURAL LIBRARIES IN COORG DISTRICT

418. SRI N. LOKAYYA NAIK (Virajpet)—Will the Minister for Eduat tion be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the scheme underwhich the Rural Libraries in Coorg Distrie were sanctioned and when;

(*b*) the duties of the Organiser in-charge of this scheme;

(*c*) the number of such libraries and books in Coorg district and how these libraries are being maintaind:

(*d*) the number of Readers getting benefits by these libraries per year:

(*e*) total cost of the books purchased for these libraries from 1957 or since introduction of these libraries:

(*f*) the establishment charges per year and the details of staff members in the establishment?

SRI K.V. SHANKARA GOWDA (Minister for Education):—

(*a*) Integrated Library Service Seheme was sanctioned during 1955.

(b) (i) to supervise the working of the Ru.al Libraries.

(ii) to organise cultural activities.

(iii) to maintain the Film Library and organise film shows in schools and in rural areas.

(c) There are 101 Libraries with a total collection of 38,175 books. These Libraries are functioning in the Offices of Village Panchayats as also in certain Primary school buildings and are maintained out of the funds provided by the Education Department.

(*d*) 10,050 approximately.

(*e*) Rs 63,357.19.

(*f*) Re 8,892 approximately. Details of the establishment are as follows.

1. Organiser for Rural and Film Libraries in the scale of Rs.150 -270- One Post.

2. Librarian in the scale of Rs.75-150—One Post.

3. Clerk in the sbale of Rs. 80-150—One post.

4. Class IV in the scale of Rs. 50-60—One post.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಲೋಕಯ್ಯನಾಯಕ.—ಕಳೆದಎರಡು ವರ್ಷಗಳಿಂದ ಕೊಡಗು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿನ ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಎಷ್ಟು ಚಲನಚಿತ್ರ ಪ್ರದರ್ಶನಗಳನ್ನು ಮತ್ತು ಸಾಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಕ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮಗಳನ್ನು ಏರ್ಪಡಿಸ ಲಾಗಿದೆ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ವಿ. ಶಂಕರಗೌಡ:—ಆ ವಿವರ ಇಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಲೋಕಯ್ಯನಾಯಕ: ಈಗಿರತಕ್ಕಂತ ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿ ವರ್ಗ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಕೆಲಸ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಈ ಕಾರ್ಯವನ್ನು ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕ್ ಬೋರ್ಡಿನವರಿಗಾಗಲೀ ಅಥವಾ ಪಂಚಾಯಿತಿ ಎಕ್ಸ್‌ಟೆನ್‌ಷನ್ ಆಫೀಸರ ಅವರಿಗಾಗಲೀ ವಹಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಏರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡುತ್ತೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ ವಿ. ಶಂಕರಗೌಡ.—ಹೊಸದಾಗಿ ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ಲೈಬ್ರರಿ ಆಕ್ಟ್ ಪಾಸಾಗಿದೆ. ಅದರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಇನ್ನು ಮುಂದೆ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್ ಲೈಬ್ರರಿ ಅಥಾರಿಟಿಗೆ ಈ ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಗ್ರಂಥಾಲಯಗಳು ಒಳಪಡುತ್ತವೆ. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ಉದ್ಭವಿಸುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಲ್. ಶ್ರೀಕಂಠಯ್ಯ.— ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಗ್ರಂಥಾಲಯಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಪುಸ್ತಕ ಭಂಡಾರಗಳು ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಬದುಕಿದೆಯೇ ಮತ್ತು ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿವೆಯೇ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ವಿ. ಶಂಕರಗೌಡ.—ಕೆಲಸ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿವೆ. ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸೆಸ್ ಕೂಡ ವಸೂಲಿ ಮಾಡಲಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಹೊಸದಾಗಿ ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ಲೈಬ್ರರಿ ಆಕ್ಟ್ ಪಾಸಾಗಿದೆ. ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಗ್ರಂಥಾಲಯಗಳನ್ನು ಇನ್ನು ಮುಂದೆ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್ ಲೈಬ್ರರಿ ಅಥಾರಿಟಿಯವರು ನೋಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತಾರೆ.

REPAIRS TO THE INCUBATOR OF GOVERNMENT VETERINARY HOSPITAL, COONDAPUR.

443 SMT. WINNIFRED F. FERNANDES, (Coondapur) :—

Will the Minister of State for Veterinary Services, Animal Husbandary and Dairy Development be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the date on which an incubator was installed at the Government Veterinary Hospital at Coondapur, South Kanara;

(b) whether it was come to the notice of Government that the incubator has not in working order; if so, from which date; whether the same was repaired; if so, since when; if not, the reasons for not repairing it so far;

(*c*) the number of birds supplied to the Coondapur Veterinary Hospital during each year for the past 3 years ?

SRI G. B. SHANKAR RAO Minister of State for Veterinary Service, Animal Husbandry and Dairy Development,

(*a*) There are 3 Incubators at the Poultry Extension Centre attached to the Veterinary Dispensary, Coondapur. One Kerosire oil Incubator was supplied during 1960. One Electric incubator supplied during 1961. One Electric Incubator supplied during 1965.

(b) These incubators are not in workirg order since 1966. The Kerosine incubator is unserviceable. One Electric Incubator which needed some repairs has been repaired in May 1970. The other Elec ric Incubator needs some spare parts which are not readily avalhab.e.